## **HOUSE BILL 565**

## By Harwell

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 49, Chapter 6, relative to elementary and secondary education.

## BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-6-2102, is amended by designating the existing language as subsection (a) and by adding a new subsection thereto, as follows:

(b) The state board of education shall promulgate rules and regulations governing the transportation of school children to and from extracurricular activities.

Such rules and regulations shall authorize school children to be transported to and from extracurricular activities in fifteen (15) passenger vans or vans with a greater occupancy level when the van is operated by a school employee and a parent or guardian of each student to be transported on the van has provided a signed permission slip to the student's school.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring

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